

# Hspec

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i2xy

*Convert (x,y)-coordinates to single-number indices and back.*

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## Description

Convert (x,y)-coordinates on the chip (and in the CEL file) to the single-number indices used in AffyBatch and CDF environment, and back.

## Usage

```
i2xy(i)
xy2i(x,y)
```

## Arguments

|   |                                                  |
|---|--------------------------------------------------|
| x | numeric. x-coordinate (from 1 to 1164)           |
| y | numeric. y-coordinate (from 1 to 1164)           |
| i | numeric. single-number index (from 1 to 1354896) |

## Details

Type i2xy and xy2i at the R prompt to view the function definitions.

## See Also

[hspec](#)

## Examples

```
xy2i(5,5)
i      = 1:(1164*1164)
coord = i2xy(i)
j      = xy2i(coord[, "x"], coord[, "y"])
stopifnot(all(i==j))
range(coord[, "x"])
range(coord[, "y"])
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